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### TORONTO TIDINGS

Miss Muriel Allen spent the week-end of February 4th with her parents in Hamilton.

Her many friends in this city are pleased to hear that Mrs. John Ulrich, of Detroit, has recovered from her recent illness, but regret she did not make a stop-over here on her recent trip to and from Montreal.

Mrs. O. S. Eastman got up a surprise birthday party in honor of her sister, Mrs. Lorne Colclough on February 3d, and it turned out very auspiciously. About a score shared in the fun of the evening and among the gifts showered on Mrs. Colclough was a black crepe satin dress. All report a very pleasing time.

Miss Norma Smith spent the week-end of February 4th, with a married sister in Port Credit.

Messrs. Samuel Pugsley and Fred Terrell decided to club together and take the JOURNAL. It is all the more convenient, because they live only a few doors apart on MacDonnell Avenue. Such acts like this is a wise move.

Mrs. George J. Timpson, of Long Branch, and her cousin, Mrs. John Marshall, of Flint, Mich., were guests of Mr. James Tate's parents on Quebec Avenue, on February 3d, and then attended Miss Annabel Thomson's party at Georgina House the same evening.

A meeting of our church members was called for the evening of February 6th, in the Brigden-Nasmith Hall. Here the Board of Trustees laid before them the constitution and by-laws of our church which the Board had revised before. The congregation was asked to either sanction or disagree with any clause that was laid before them. There was not as large a crowd as was expected, however, the business for that evening was proceeded with and with one or two minor details that will be later settled, all the by-laws were carried through. Several of the old clauses were either altered or cut out altogether and several new ones added, which we hope will help to maintain our church's dignity.

With a force of convincing whim and a gesture that was captivating, Mr. Fred W. Terrell addressed our service on February 5th, with a very good sermon. He used that text, "There is no escaping from that Eye, even in God's sight." No matter how dark this world may be or how small the object, His ever watchful eyes are constantly watching over His Universe. Never does God close His eyes for they are the Light of the World. Mrs. F. E. Harris gave this solo, "Who will be Next to Come unto Jesus."

Some weeks ago, the Canadian Girls in Training Society of Walmer Road Baptist Church entertained our society and on February 6th, our girls returned the compliment by entertaining their sisters to a social evening in our church and a very pleasant time was spent winding up with hearty refreshments. Mrs. Ernest Peterkin is the most painstaking worker in our society towards encouraging our girls in such pleasant pursuits.

Mrs. Samuel Pugsley, who has been in the General Hospital for several weeks past, undergoing treatment for her eyes, was removed to her home on January 31st, we are very sorry to say she has not regained much of her sight yet. We sympathize with Mr. Pugsley in his troubles.

Miss Annabel Thomson got up a little surprise party for Miss Alma Brown, in honor of her birthday on February 3d, and we hear it was a jolly affair. Miss Brown is one of the most popular young maidens among the deaf, due to her sunny smiles and patient mien.

Mr. Silas Baskerville and his sister-in-law, Miss Beulah Wilson, spent the week-end of February 4th, with the former's parents, near Aurora.

Mr. Frank E. Harris continued his series of lectures on famous prophets of the Bible at our Epworth League, on February 9th, and gave a clear cut talk of events that came to light in the Balaam and Gideon dynasty

and concluded his address on the source of our future hope.

The Ladies' Aid Society held a regular meeting on February 9th, and announced the change of their name to the "Woman's Council of the United Church of Canada." Other minor details were also discussed.

Mrs. John Marshall, of Flint, Mich., who came here just before her brother, the late John C. McLaren, died at St. Joseph's Hospital, on December 30th last, and then went down to her old home in Smith Falls to visit her parents, returned to the home of her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. George J. Timpson, at Long Branch, on January 31st, where she remained for a week, visiting her many friends here in the meantime. Our coming up from Smith Falls, she stopped over for a week to visit old friends in Trenton. Mrs. Russell still retains her youthful charms.

We regret to say that little Vernon Wayne Colclough, the seven months old child of Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Colclough, is now at the Sick Children's Hospital, where it is now on diet treatment. It is hardly more than a mite, but has a strong mute appeal to every one who sees it as it lies in its little crib and looks at you with childish eyes, as if to say "Can't you help me." It's mother has given it a blood transfusion in hopes of stimulating its strength.

The evening of February 4th, will go down in posterity as one that filled many a heart with delight, especially among the little children who happened to be there then. When the Brigden Club resumed its season's work last fall, Chairman Roberts made it clear that he would not overlook any member in the way of giving them a chance to show their ability on the platform, and this included the little children of the members, and to remain true to his word, he invited every child whose parents were members, to join in a Picnic or Public Park Pleaisance. Oh, how it did tickle them and the only regret all could not come on account of illness, but those who actually "made their debut" on the terpschorean stage, made such a hit as to cause no little comment in the large audience, and to add more credit, this was their first anomalous venture. Those in charge of this "get up" were more than pleased by the way they performed their respective parts. As this playlet called for an even dozen different acts, it was thought to be too heavy a task for these youngsters to go through every act, so a good number of others were invited to assist to which they consented unhesitatingly, thus making the whole affair a pronounced success. All who took part in this pantomime were asked to come early that afternoon to "polish up" and to bring little lunches and with tea and coffee and milk provided by the chairman and Mrs. Roberts, all were able to stay within until the crowd fogathered in the evening. It would take up too much space to describe the whole show minutely, but to give the names of each participant and act will suffice. Here are the children's names: Ruth Byrne, Margaret Abram, Velma Goodall, Esther Mackay, Irene Sprague and Norma and Cecil Terrell. Adults, James Tate, Samuel Goodall, Fred Terrell. Mrs. W. Mackay, Mrs. H. Whealy, Mrs. John Buchan, Charles Elliott, David Lawrence, Frank Peirce, John Stewart, Ernest Hackbush, Frank Harris, William Hazlitt and the Misses Alma Brown, Annabel Thomson, Eva Elliott and Freda Decker. The acts were as follows:—

1. Little Red Riding Hood.
2. Park Bums.
3. Courtship rejected then accepted.
4. Picnic fun.
5. The Signals.
6. Good luck.
7. Keeping Lonely Vigil.
8. Rainbow.
9. The Bachelor's Dilemma.
10. Unions.
11. As it was.
12. Life's Misfortunes.

All was over at 10:30 P.M.

### GENERAL GLEANINGS

A nice article in regard to our old friend, Mr. Rupert J. D. Williams, of Saskatoon, Sask., will appear in your next issue, that may interest many of your Canadian readers. Rupert sends the writer his first subscription to the JOURNAL.

The Misses Sylvia Caswell and Helen A. Middleton, of Niagara Falls, Ont., went away for the week-end of February 4th. The former went to Buffalo and the later to Tonawanda, N. Y., and both had merry times.

The "Productor," of Saskatoon, Sask., of February 2d, has a very splendid write up and appeal addressed to the Gardiner Government asking that a school for the education of the deaf of that Province be established at once, as the need for such an institution is most urgent and essential. This appeal is written by our old friend, Mr. Rupert Williams, and he also asks that in the event of the school being built, the teaching should be under the combined system, as teaching the deaf by pure oralism has been a failure all along. We trust Mr. Williams efforts will be crowned with success.

Mr. and Mrs. George J. Timpson, of Long Branch, were given a great treat on January 18th, when a goodly number of their neighbors gathered at their home on the quiet and spent a very pleasant evening in commemoration Mr. and Mrs. Timpson seventh wedding anniversary, a splendid repast was partaken at the close.

And still subscriptions flow in to the writer, who is pleased to forward the same to the Editor under registration. The following names are on the list this time: Mrs. Ida Cherry Robertson, of Preston, Rupert I. D. Williams, of Saskatoon, Sask., Samuel Pugsley and A. W. Mason, of Toronto. Who'll be on the list next week?

HERBERT W. ROBERTS.

## South Dakota

The address of Miss Nettie Jacobs is St. Croix Falls, Wis.

Mrs. Mary Hedges, of Indiana, formerly small boys' supervisor of our school under Superintendent Simpson, passed away recently at her home.

Byron F. Stitt has leased a farm for this year. For several years past Byron has had a stretch of highway under his care. This year it is his plan to carry on farming in addition to his present job as highway grader.

Norman Larson, who hired out for three years for Mr. Wasler, a deaf farmer of near Faribault, Minn., is now home with his parents at Jasper, Minn., to assist his aged father with the farm work. He learned a lot of raising turkeys at the Walsler farm and it is his purpose to specialize in turkey raising at home.

On Sunday, January 15th, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Goodman, of Aberdeen, entertained Mr. and Mrs. Olof A. Olson and daughter, Eva, Dan Schachte and Wilhelm Krege to a nice dinner. They all passed the day pleasantly.

Wilhelm Krege autored to Redfield on Thursday, February 2d, to visit Rudolph Albrecht and sister, Ida, and Mr. and Mrs. Ervne Smith. He returned home next day.

The writer recently received a nice letter from D. M. Authier, of Redfield. From the letter, he said, "I am busy at present husking corn from the fodder and also making stove wood with the dead trees in the woods." He said that he could not say whether he and his wife, Emma, can come or not, but said they will be glad to come to attend the South Dakota Association convention.

At 6 o'clock, Sunday evening, February 5th, the ice in the Missouri River, in front of Sioux City, broke up and started on its voyage towards the Gulf of Mexico. This is the earliest date for the breaking up of the Missouri at Sioux City in thirty-eight years—which is as far back as the government records at that point extend.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant E. Daniels entertained a good number of local deaf, Saturday evening, February 5th, at their home, in honor of Miss Dorothy Kirby's birthday. The evening was pleasantly spent in games and "500." Nice refreshments were served by the hostess. Miss Kirby was presented with a pretty pitcher and glasses, as a hint of her coming wedding in the near future. She is employed in Manchester Biscuit Factory, Sioux Falls, making paper boxes by a powered sewing machine.

Arthur Berg, of Holmquist, accompanied by his better half-to-be, Miss

Sophia Larson, were in Sioux Falls, Sunday, January 29th, being the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Daniels for the day and visited the State school. Next day they took Mrs. Daniels in their car to visit Miss Kimmel at Garretson and left Mrs. Daniels there for a prolonged visit. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Ole Evans on a farm at Dell Rapids, before returning to their respective homes.

Mr. Berg, a semi-mute and graduate of our school, a fine fellow with promising prospects, is a renter of 160 acres, and lives with his parents.

Russell Fuller, of Hitchcock, is laid up in the State of Wisconsin General Hospital, Madison, with an injured left eye. Details of the accident are lacking, but the impression prevails that he met with serious injury to his eye. At the time of the accident, he was employed as a word chopper in another town.

December 29th was the birthday of Miss Ida Albrecht, Redfield, and the girls of the laundry where she works came to her home to celebrate it in the evening, and she was greatly surprised to see them all. The manager of the laundry gave them refreshments. They played different games and had a good time.

Miss Albrecht is second forewoman and assistant cashier, and her manager is pleased with her efficient work.

Recently the writer and son visited Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Allen and Mrs. Bertha Bellman and her aged father at the Allen place, Sioux Falls. It was a very pleasant visit. Mr. Allen is a long-time friend of the writer and always took an interest in the welfare of the deaf, and is a personal friend of the late James Simpson. Mrs. Bellman is taking care of the son and daughter of Jay Allen, son of Mr. Allen, and doing the housework there. She can talk fine by spelling fingers and is very much interested in the deaf. She had deaf brother, Mr. Messner, of North Dakota. He was educated for some time at Gallaudet College, Washington D. C., and then worked as a surveyor with a crew and was accidentally killed by a freight train at Fargo, N. D., long ago.

Ole Evans, marketed a load of hogs by truck at Morrell's plant, Monday, February 6th.

Miss Rosa Poli, aged seventy-five years, died of old age last week at Lesterville.

Abel Sylliaasen, of Mission Hill, is visiting his brother, Roy, and family at Julesburg, Col., and assists husking corn at present. Mr. Roy Sylliaasen, in partnership with Gust Belugm, operates a large ranch of over 1000 acres. Mr. Belugm's sister, Tena, is the wife of Mr. Sylliaasen.

Rev. Mr. Grace visited Sioux Falls, Monday, January 30th, and gave services at the Calvary Cathedral. His sermons were always impressive. Rev. Grace reports being pleased with such a good attendance according to the size of Sioux Falls as compared with others. He announced that as a number of deaf live east of the river, hereafter services will be held at St. Peter's Episcopal Church, Sixth Street and Cliff Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Johnson and two daughters, of Centerville, visited Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Daniels, Sunday and Monday, February 5th and 6th. Mr. Johnson returned home Monday, leaving his wife and girls for two weeks' visit. Mr. Johnson, a semi-mute, has for many years been a buyer of cream and eggs to be shipped for the East. He is owner of a five-room cottage and drives a Studebaker car.

Brandt L. Otten, who purchased a Oldsmobile touring car two weeks ago, is enjoying outdoor life and recreation, and plans to go hunting and fishing soon. He is fond of sports. He is the son of Mrs. A. D. Stuckeman, assistant superintendent of the Children's Home, with Rev. A. D. Stuckeman as superintendent. The Home is about five blocks west of the State School, on Tenth Street. Mr. Otten is employed in the Shriver-Johnson store, a large dry-goods establishment, in the shade and linoleum department.

Sioux Falls Division No. 74, held a business meeting at the Chamber of Commerce rooms, with President P. L. Dalaard in the chair, Monday evening, February 6th. After finishing business, Treasurer Servald declared for another benefit party called "Spring Robin," to be held Thursday evening,

March 8th, at the Guild Room of St. Peter's Episcopal Church.

Friday evening, February 3d, the State School double-header basketball teams and a group of students went to Baltic in a large bus. The boys' team won an exciting go, when they rang up a 27-25 victory over the High School quint, in a sensational game of basketball. The boys of both teams were out for blood and kept the spectators on their feet from the first whistle. The Baltic girls won from the school sextet, 48-22.

Heavy loss from fire at the State School was narrowly averted shortly before 11 o'clock, Friday night, February 3d, by students of the institution, according to E. S. Tillinghast, superintendent. About 10:40 o'clock Friday night, the school basketball teams and a group of students returned to the school. As they passed the school building, the blaze was noticed. The students got two lines of hose and several fire extinguishers into action and had the fire under control when the fire department arrived. The fire started in a fire-proof hall and was caused, it is believed, by oily rags left in a locker. Loss of \$200 was caused.

The first steady rain of 1928 and wet heavy snowfall visited our State Monday and Tuesday, February 5th and 6th. The sudden changes in temperature the first day made sheets of ice on sidewalks and streets, that made traffic difficult, and car accidents occurred.

There will be a social and oyster supper at the Guild Room of Calvary Cathedral, Sioux Falls, Friday evening, February 24th. P. L. Dalgard and G. E. Daniels will be the committee in charge, with Miss Cleonora Halverson as assistant. Thirty cents per oyster plate will be charged. The proceeds earned are for entertaining the convention visitors. Don't forget the date and tell your friends of this good event, and bring them.

Lack of snow has again caused the postponement of the Canton ski tournament, which was scheduled to be held Sunday, February 12th. The Canton authorities gave their date to St. Paul in return for their date later this month, with hopes of having snow for their meet, and if not held on Sunday, February 19th, the Canton officials have practically decided to call the meet off until next year.

Sunday, February 5th, the writer and son, Wallace, were bus passengers to Canton, to visit his old friends. Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Roe and family. After dinner, they all went in the Buick sedan to Klondika, Ia., nine miles northeast, to visit Mrs. Roe's sister and family on a farm. A week ago, the stork left them a bouncing nine-pound baby. They returned to the Roe place at 5:30 P.M., and phoned for his parents in the city to come and have supper with them all. The parents came in their Franklin sedan and stayed with them until they caught the 8 o'clock bus for home.

Mr. Roe is very well versed in finger spelling, and his wife in signs. His father is chairman of the Lincoln County Commissioners. The writer worked for him the first time when he was seventeen years of age and second time at twenty-four years, on farms near Worthing.

The writer remembered that February 10th was the birthday of Grant E. Daniels. With Mr. Otten, who had a car, they invited several deaf friends and motored to the Daniels place. They marched into his bungalow, and gave him a volley of cigars. After an hour of pleasant conversation the party left. This month Mr. Daniels completes his sixteenth year with the Morrell plant.

A donation of ten dollars from the Sunshine Silent Club, Sioux Falls, for entertaining the South Dakota convention visitors, was received by the local committee, and is hereby acknowledged with thanks. A donation is being made by the local deaf to help swell the entertainment fund.

EDWARD P. OLSEN.  
Feb. 11, 1928.

### FLORIDA MISSION FOR THE DEAF.

ST. CLOUD, FLORIDA

Bible class at 9:30 A.M., every Sabbath day. Preaching service at home or abroad (subject to call) at 2 P.M., on first Sunday of each month.

### FLASHES FROM FLORIDA

Mr. and Mrs. Bert C. Wortman, of Tampa, and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Cory, Jr., of St. Petersburg, are making arrangements for an across-the-state trip to Miami early in March, to attend a monthly meeting of the Frat. These Buckeye boys are members of the National Fraternal Society of the Deaf.

According to the *Deaf Carolinian*, of Morgantown, N. C., Mr. Glenn Widenhouse is operating a linotype machine for a daily in Bellaire, Ohio.

The Monticello (Ind.) *Herald* has the following to say of Elmer Siegfried's building operations: "Elmer Siegfried, who is a well-known man in Monon, Indiana, for many years, will make cement door and build his own beautiful building 12x21 feet opposite his house for Real Home Bakery and make delicious crullers, 500 to 600 every day, which he will deliver to Monon and nearby towns by his White bakery auto. Mr. Siegfried will also erect a brick building in Akron, Ohio, to be used as a restaurant-confectionery store. Construction will begin next summer on the lot next to his double house." Mr. Siegfried, who formerly lived in Akron and attended the Columbus school, is a heavy property owner, not only possessing real estate in Monon and Akron, but in Florida as well.

Utter E. Read, of Cincinnati, Ohio, at one time a teacher in the Columbus school and now serving in a similar capacity in his home town, is once again feeling the urge of returning to Florida for the benefit of his wife's health. The west coast is his objective, if he succeeds in placing himself on the instructional staff of a high school in that section. Mr. Read is also a regularly ordained minister of the Methodist faith.

Supposed to have died in California many long years ago, Ellisworth Towner is much alive these days. The writer obtained this information from Ervin Graves, who recently passed through St. Cloud, en route to Havana, Cuba, from California. He is intimately acquainted with Mr. Towner, who, according to his statement, is pursuing the occupation of stone cutting in Havana. Will C. T. Mueller, the California correspondent, please confirm or deny the report?

The mother of Mrs. Bert C. Wortman has arrived from Columbus, Ohio, to spend the winter with her in Tampa. The transition of wintry blasts to summer breezes is a revelation to her. The recent cold snap that lasted over a week proved to be a blessing in disguise.

Rev. George Flick, who has been seriously ill in Chicago and is reported to be convalescing, may spend a part of the winter in St. Petersburg, if his application for a leave of absence is granted. Here's hoping that Mr. Flick's recovery will be complete in a while here, where health-giving sunshine is abundant every day.

So far as we can ascertain, all the Buckeyes in Florida are working, with the exception of Samuel Knott and Harley Goetz (unemployed) and Bert C. Wortman (still recuperating.)

Ira Bitler, realizing as he does that work elsewhere is as scarce as an old hen's teeth, is holding his position in Holopaw with the tenacity of a leech. He is an alumnus of the Ohio school.

Leon P. Jones, whose friends in Ohio and Florida are delighted with his periodical correspondence to the *Ohio Chronicle* under the cloak of anonymity "Old Pat," is still living in DeLand with his charming family and holding a responsible position with the DeLand *Sun* as linotype operator-machinist extraordinary.

Samuel Knott, once a student at the Columbus School, is back in DeLand from a long sojourn in his native State. Though assisting his father in a grocery store, he is endeavoring to work out his salvation in some other line of occupation than which he learned at school.

The conductor of this column will hold services in DeLand on March 4th, in St. Petersburg on April 1st, in Daytona Beach on May

6th, and in St. Cloud on June 3d. Rev. J. J. Treadwell, of DeLand, who will be the host to the visiting deaf churchgoers, learned the rudiments of the sign language from Frank Reitman, a Buckeye shoe cobbler, who died in Daytona Beach about twelve years ago.

Mr. Souweine, a well-known deaf photo-engraver of New York City, while visiting in Tampa, was entertained recently by Mr. and Mrs. Bert C. Wortman of that city and Mrs. Chas. W. Kessler, of Knoxville, Tenn., on a sightseeing tour. Mr. Souweine has in his employ in his New York office two daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Ardine Rembeck, formerly of Cincinnati, Ohio. Before marriage, Mrs. Rembeck was Maud Walton.

Miss Laverna Grattan, of Detroit, Mich., is spending her fourth winter in St. Petersburg. Last winter, she incidentally came across a deaf friend of hers there, by the name of Miss Southwick, who attended school with her at Flint, Mich. Miss Southwick has been living quietly in the Big Bayou section of the Sunshine City, he past six years, seldom mingling with deaf people.

Mrs. William V. Hovious, of Tampa, is visiting relatives and friends in Kentucky. As soon as the business boom in Tampa, attains its momentum, she will return to join her husband, who is employed as adman in one of the leading newspaper offices.

David R. Tillinghast, of South Carolina, has been coming to St. Petersburg or eight consecutive winters, and is enjoying everything that Florida has in store for his recreation and longevity. He is stopping with his youngest daughter, Malinda. Mr. Tillinghast has passed the eighty-sixth milestone of his life, and in spite of his advanced age is hale and hearty. As here was no school in existence in South Carolina, he went to New York City to attend the Fanwood school, and when he was in the graduating stage, the civil war was declared and he had to remain away from his home state until peace was restored. Whenever he is in deaf society, he always talks interestingly of many incidents he saw or heard during the war.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Austin, of Orlando, were among the many visitors to the Tampa fair from February 4 to 6.

Frederick Parker, of Hollywood, who owing to depressed condition of business has been in St. Petersburg with the folks of his wife, left recently for New York, where he secured a position as printer. Mrs. Parker will join him shortly.

Peter Heinz, of Bradenton, is the "brains" of the telephone force. When a delicate piece of work or a complicated job needs to be done in the most satisfactory manner possible, Mr. Heinz is there with the goods. For the past few months, he, in company of the district superintendent and floor boss, has supervised the installation of automatic telephone appliances in a new telephone building at Venice, south of Sarasota. Mr. Heinz started at the bottom of the ladder in a telephone factory at Chicago, and by dint of perseverance and ambition he reached the top. Irrespective of his handicap, his real ability is at once recognized the moment he is associated with a large telephone firm.

Edward McArtor, lately of Tampa, whose disappearance, he was located in Laurel, Miss., has given his many friends in this section much uneasiness, will find it to his advantage to write the Florida Mission for the Deaf, St. Cloud, Florida. Mr. McArtor was supposedly on his way to Texas after he was reported to have passed through Little Rock, Arkansas.

F. E. P.

### ST. THOMAS' MISSION FOR THE DEAF

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Whenever wrong is done  
To the humblest and the weakest  
'Neath the all-beholding sun,  
That wrong is also done to us,  
And they are slaves most base,  
Whose love of right is for themselves,  
And not for all the race."

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### WHAT OUR FLAG MEANS.

DO YOU KNOW WHICH STAR REPRESENTS YOUR STATE?

Now, boys and girls, that we have a flag-pole on our campus and a flag to hoist on it, it might be nice for you to memorize this little song. It is entitled, "Your Flag and My Flag," and was written by Nesbit.

Your flag and my flag, oh! it flies today,  
O'er your land and my land, and half a world away.  
Rose red and blood red, its stripes forever gleam,  
Snow white and soul white, our good forefathers' dream  
Sky blue and true, its stars forever bright.  
A glorious guidon of the day, a shelter through the night.

Your flag and my flag, oh! how much it holds,  
Your land and my land secure within its folds.  
Your heart and my heart beat quicker at the sight;  
Sun kissed and wind tossed, the red, the blue, the white.  
The one flag, the great flag, the flag for me and you,  
Glorified, all else beside, the red, the white and blue.

Do you want to know which one of the forty-eight stars on the flag represents Tennessee? It is the last star in the second horizontal row from the top, looking from left to right.

The following classification shows which State each star represents. This order of representation is fixed by law. The States are represented in the chronological order in which they became members of the United States—the dates on which they ratified the Constitution or were admitted to the Union.

First Row—Delaware, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Georgia, Connecticut, Massachusetts, Maryland, South Carolina.

Second Row—New Hampshire, Virginia, New York, North Carolina, Rhode Island, Vermont, Kentucky, Tennessee.

Third Row—Ohio, Louisiana, Indiana, Mississippi, Illinois, Alabama, Maine, Missouri.

Fourth Row—Arkansas, Michigan, Florida, Texas, Iowa, Wisconsin, California, Minnesota.

Fifth Row—Oregon, Kansas, West Virginia, Nevada, Nebraska, Colorado, North Dakota, South Dakota.

Sixth Row—Montana, Washington, Idaho, Wyoming, Utah, Oklahoma, New Mexico, Arizona.

### SHE GOT HER JOURNALS

In that connection, the following communication from J. Frederick Meagher, the penman who formerly covered Chicago, will prove interesting. He says:—

"DEAR EDITOR.—There is something new under the sun. I, me, know-it-all myself, I have a lot to learn—even about this new paper game. The mystery of the non-delivery of JOURNALS to Miss— is solved—and what a surprising solution. Remember she wrote you complaining her paper suddenly stopped several times after she subscribed? You wrote her a nice letter of explanation, and it came back bearing the postal stamp 'Returned to writer, unclaimed.' She finally met me at one of the clubs, and gave me an eye-fall. I promised to relay her picturesque complaint—and did. You responded by sending me the original envelope the post office returned, together with a sample address from your mailing files. Both tallied exactly with the address Miss— gave me. Ho; hum! What to make of it, my dear Watson? Looks like a dark mystery. I hunted up Miss—; yes, the address was correct. Nothing to do but pass the buck to the post office branch which served her district. It was what we should have done in the first place. They expressed amazement: 'Why, two months ago you told us you were about to move to a new location, and we have saved all your mail for you pending notification,' they explained politely. Miss— suddenly remembered the incident: 'Yes, but I changed my mind and never moved after all!' So she got all her missing JOURNALS, and I got two more gray hairs, and you—when you read this—you get a good laugh. For there is something new under the sun!"

Don't! Oh Don't!

It is proposed to hurry the De l'Epee memorial project and bring it to a completion in 1930, so as to mark the semi-centennial anniversary of the National Association.

Unless I am mistaken there is now between \$7,000 and \$8,000 available in the fund raised for the purpose. Interest on this amount will increase the total by about \$700. Possibly a vigorous drive will add enough to make the total available in 1930 about \$10,000.

This sum is ridiculous. When the project was first launched in Cleveland fifteen years ago, the sum set up as the mark to be aimed at was fifty thousand dollars. That this fifty thousand dollars was not raised long ago is due to the incompetence and lack of initiative and foresight of those at the head of the Association, and the present head is no exception. The psychological moment to carry the scheme of money-getting through to a triumphant consummation was at the great centenary gathering at Hartford in 1917. With Henri Gaillard and his freres present, everything French was above par in the American heart and mind, then was the time to appeal for an effort that would strain every muscle, tauten every tendon, bring forth the sweat in rivulets, to win over the top. Even with the war-slogan—"give till it hurts"—reverberating over the land, it could have been done.

To stop now, to quit with four-fifths of the road still to travel, would be an action of the basest cowardice, an admission that the National Association is woefully lacking in national pride, that it is incompetent to the last degree.

The present administration, beginning in Atlanta in 1923, has not so much as crooked a finger in an effort to carry on the project. To argue that other and weightier matters claim the attention and effort of the Association is false. There are plenty such issues, but the heads of the Association have carefully and gingerly left them alone.

The Gallaudet Memorial project was launched in New York in August 1883. It was brought to a glorious consummation in August 1889.

The interval of six years was sufficient for the raising of \$13,000 and the necessary preliminary and final work by the sculptor, Daniel Chester French. At no time during this did the Association have a membership in excess of 200. At no time during the fifteen years from 1913 to 1926 has the Association had less than 1000 members. Then there was no endowment fund, then there was no paid employee or official.

The entire task was a labor of love and enthusiastic pride. Edwin Allan Hodgson, then President of the Association, the late Amos Galusha Draper, treasurer of the fund, and the late Theodore A. Froelich, as chairman of the executive committee of the Association, supplied the leadership and zeal that fired all their following and made success certain. Without these leaders the project would have languished as the present De l'Epee project has been languishing.

Thirteen thousand dollars in the eighties meant what twenty-five thousand with all our increased resources and membership mean to-day.

Ten thousand dollars to-day would mean only \$5,000 in 1889. With that sum the present noble memorial to Gallaudet would have been impossible. The De l'Epee memorial should not yield one jot to the Gallaudet memorial in dignity, scope and largeness of design. For De l'Epee made Gallaudet possible. For De l'Epee is the father of, the sign-language that makes our deaf from ocean to ocean kindred and members of one great clan.

It would be far better to place the money now in the fund in a permanent trust fund for the next fifty years. Seven thousand dollars, at interest compounded, will double itself in fifteen years. In fifteen years more this amount will be \$30,000. By 1980 the centenary of the Association it will be \$60,000. A noble and impressive monument would then be possible. It is true that probably not one member of the Association now living would see the end. But what of it? Many of those who were present at Cleveland in 1913 have already "gone west." The McGregors, Oscar Henry Regensburg, Frank Ross Gray, James H. Cloud, and others, have all "gone west."

Or if the Association must wash its hands of this enterprise in which it has so shamefully failed, instead of a monument in bronze, why not use the money as a De l'Epee scholarship fund, the income to be used in bringing some young French deaf man or woman to America, to obtain a higher education than he could in France, at our College in Washington? I believe such a use of the fund would please the sainted spirit of De l'Epee many times more than a cold expression in soulless metal or stone.

Such a French-American student, coming to us from year to year would be to the American and French deaf what the Rhode scholars are to England and the rest of the civilized world. The bonds of under-

standing and friendship would be strengthened and there would be the annually repeated interest in the memory of De l'Epee that with a sculptured memorial would wane and become shadowy and more or less forgotten. The French deaf would benefit, those for whom De l'Epee labored and loved, the American deaf would benefit and the memory of the service rendered them as a whole would be kept green, unfading and vivid.

Respectfully,  
GEORGE WILLIAM VEDITZ.  
Colorado Springs, Colo.

## CHICAGO

Carl Osterberg, of Cedar Rapids, Ia., dropped in this city, on some business, and made his debut at the monthly business meeting of the Frats, last week.

A large number of deaf people gathered at the S. A. C. house for a St. Valentine party, including bunco and "500," Saturday evening, February 11th. The guests passed a pleasant evening in pastime and social conversation. The affair was in charge of Mr. and Mrs. L. Cherry.

We read in a Chicago daily recently that bandits ransacked the home of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Levi, in the same district as Gustave Levi, a deaf-mute, lives and then stole their automobile, in addition to the loot, and drove away. The mute denies Milton is related to him.

Miss Myrtle Nelson, who works in the historic Auditorium Hotel, was struck on her head by a descending steel door, while entering an elevator February 3d, and was unconscious an hour. She was able to attend the party in Mrs. Meagher's honor that night, and shows no ill effects.

The week of January 30th to February 4th, saw four birthdays of Chicago folks—Mesdames Brimble, Henry, Meagher and Gus Hyman. The latter invited the other three to attend a movie February 1st, then "stood real" to sundae. At the weekly sewing-bee next day at the Home for Aged Deaf, several parties brought actuals: so after the usual routine a small party was enjoyed.

Next day, the 3d, twenty-eight friends dropped in at the Albany Park home of Mrs. Meagher, to felicitate her at a party arranged by Mrs. Edward Carlson. Six tables of "500" were played.

Sunday, the 5th, Mrs. Fredo Hyman had a small dinner party in honor of her cousin, Gus Hyman's birthday.

The weekly Thursday night "500" parties at the Pas-a-Pas Club are drawing good crowds—averaging ten tables. They are conducting a tournament over a period of time, as well as awarding weekly prizes.

Mrs. Andrew Knauff, Jr., of Aurora, attended the New Year's Eve social at the Silent A. C., with her young husband, December 31st. She was helping prepare the refreshments at 10 o'clock, when a phone call came by way of the Gibsons, stating her mother had just dropped dead of heart failure in Aurora. "My mother? Impossible, I saw her yesterday, the picture of health. Someone is playing a practical joke on me," she said, but phone calls to various relatives in and around Chicago verified the demise. The Knauffs had to leave their car and take an Interurban train home—high snow drifts making transportation difficult.

STATE SCHOOL FOR DEAF JOINT CONFERENCE. AURORA, ILL., Jan. 17.—At the annual meeting of the Tri-Country High School conference, composed of prep institutions of Morgan, Macoupin, and Sangamon counties, Illinois and the Jacksonville State School for the Deaf were admitted to membership. They will be entered in the track competition in May and football next fall. There are now seven schools affiliated.

A basketball game and dance given by South Shore Blues Athletic Club, or hearing students, and Wish Bone Athletic Club for young deaf, at Parker Senior High School, 6800 Stewart Avenue, Saturday evening, February 11th, for the benefit of the Home for Aged Deaf. It was largely attended by both deaf and hearing. After the game, the balance of the evening was given to dancing. An admission of fifty cents was charged and no tickets sold at door.

An entertainment for the benefits of the Edward Miner Gallaudet Memorial Fund, held at the M. E. Church Headquarters on the evening of Saturday, February 11th, was well attended. Mrs. Morton Henry opened the program with a talk, followed by a play or drama given by Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sharpnack, Jimmy Meagher's son, and D. W. Vaughan. Misses Beatrice Hasenstab and Anna Schaeffer gave an exhibition of Eliza Jane Clog Dance on the stage. G. O. Erickson, Rev. Hasenstab and Dr. G. T. D. Dougherty gave an interesting talk on the subjects Lincoln's Life, X-ray, and Lincoln's Wife, respectively. Miss Myrtle Nelson and Mr. Sharpnack gave Scotch jokes, songs and dances on the stage to afford fun and laughter. They were in Scotch costumes. A "Picture Gallery" also was on the program. The participants posed one after another in a large picture frame with disguised faces. Mrs. Hasenstab asked who each was.

Most of the guests responded to Rev. Hasenstab's appeal by giving from fifty cents to \$5 to the fund. Then followed by the serving of light refreshments in conclusion. The affair was well managed by Mrs. Hasenstab.

## IN DIXIELAND.

NEWS AND COMMENTS

This writer is only just now recovering from quite a serious spell of bronchial pneumonia, which attacked us last November and for a time threatened to write "finis" to the work and other activities of C. L. J. But, now, we are glad to say that the good God seems to have further use for us, as we were spared to return almost from the "borderline" 'twixt life and death and are now well enough to take up our desk work once more. The above will explain the absence from these columns of our Dixieland letters during the past few months.

Miss Zillah Hawkins, of Barnesville and Atlanta, has gone to Nashville, Tenn., to enter the Southern School of Printing, where she will take a course of training in the allied printing trades industries. She will make a special study of the monotype and linotype operation. In fact, she hopes to fit herself to fill any position in a print shop from the editorial chair on down the line to the "devil's" job. Knowing her as we do, we have not the least doubt but that she will accomplish everything she has set out to do. While at school in Nashville, Miss Hawkins will stop with the Ogilvie's, 714 Benton Avenue.

On his way down to Atlanta to attend the basketball tournament, Mr. W. W. Worley, of Johnson City, Tenn., accomplished by Messrs. Palmer, J. Kessler and Mrs. Watkins, of Knoxville, and Steele, of Johnson City, had the misfortune to meet with an accident a few miles the other side of Dalton, Ga., which is about forty miles from Atlanta. Another car, full of hearing people coming from the opposite direction ran into Mr. Worley's car, or Mr. Worley's car ran into it, while rounding a curve. Anyway, the Worley car was knocked off the road and damaged considerably. The occupants of the car all escaped injury, except young Palmer, who received some minor cuts from broken glass. Gordon Midget, of Knoxville, who was following the wrecked car, picked up Mr. Kessler and brought him on to Atlanta. The others came by rail, after seeing that Mr. Worley's car was towed into Dalton, where it was left for repairs. Mr. Charles Kessler, one of the parties in this wreck, seems to bear a charmed life, this being the fourth more or less serious wreck that he has been in and escaped to tell the story.

Mrs. H. T. Moore, Superintendent of the Tennessee School, was an interested spectator at all the games played during the basketball tournament. She came down on the 9th and remained over until Sunday, the 12th. Mr. Moore joined her here on Saturday and took in the final games. This writer felt a fellow sympathy for Mrs. Moore, inasmuch as that she had to see her boys lose out, after putting up such a splendid fight. This writer rooted as hard for the Tennessee boys as we did for our own (S. C.) boys, only to see both teams go down to defeat. Well, it's all in the day, and here's hoping for better luck next year.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jones and Miss Maumee Roberts, teachers in the Alabama School, came over for the tournament to root for Alabama, which team won the opening game, but finished third in the finals. This team is really a good team and deserves much praise for the game showing they made. This was Miss Roberts' first visit to Atlanta and she expressed herself as being charmed with our city. She said that Atlanta was the "perfect city," much more so than Birmingham, so, of course, we feel proud to have a real Alabamian express such an opinion and make such a comparison of our truly beautiful city. This writer regrets that Miss Roberts' visit was so brief. We hope they will all come again and remain longer next time.

The second annual basketball tournament played in Atlanta by the boys of the Southern states for the deaf, has come and gone. It proved to be a splendid success in every sense of the word. Due to the efficient and untiring work of Mr. P. W. Ligon, Chairman, and his committee of live-wire workers, sufficient money was raised this year to cover every obligation, with a small surplus left over to form a nucleus fund, to be created to finance future athletic tournaments held in Atlanta. Last year, while the first tournament was a success socially and otherwise; it was not a financial success, and the deaf of Atlanta had to go down into their own pockets and make up the deficit. Notwithstanding this, they were not discouraged and again assumed the responsibility this year by guaranteeing the expenses. Happily we are relieved of having to meet any deficit this year, and everybody is feeling good thereby to know that we will have to make no sacrifices this year. Still, the Atlanta deaf never hesitate at sacrifices when they can put anything "worth while" across. Atlanta and Atlanta's deaf citizens deserve the credit of being a city and people that NEVER "fall down" on what it once undertakes. We are proud of the strong co-operative spirit of the Atlanta and Georgia deaf, and doubt that it can be equalled by the deaf of any other city or State in the Union. The following clipping will describe the final games of the tournament:

ARKANSAS, fighting Leonards again are asked ball champions of the Southern Schools for the Deaf. Saturday night they downed the silent Gamecocks from South Carolina after a fast, hard battle. During the first half the South Carolina outfit had the champs on the run. When the final whistle was sounded the Leopards had won, 24 to 18. Both teams played fine ball, very clean, and showed they were well coached. One young man who had come in for a lot of publicity during the tournament was "Sorrell Top" Wrenn, stellar little guard for the Leopards. Again in the finals he stepped out and was the main cog. His floor work was excellent as was his defensive playing. Worrell, K. Thomas, Harrell and Tubb also were in every second of play.

Brady and Johnson were the shining lights for the Gamecocks. They showed that they knew what was all about and had their opponents up in the air during the first half. Richardson and Hembre also carried a man-sized load during the fracas.

South Carolina finished second in the tourney, Alabama third and North Carolina fourth.

North Carolina defeated Georgia, 24 to 16, in one of the consolation games.

In the first game of the evening session Alabama downed Florida, 29 to 18, and in doing so played the best ball they showed in the tourney.

North Carolina defeated Tennessee, 23 to 13.

S. CAROLINA (18) ARKANSAS (24)  
Johnson, f. (7) ..... Worrell, f. (5)  
Richardson, f. (4) ..... K. Thomas, f. (4)  
Brady, c. (2) ..... Harrell, c. (5)  
Hembre, g. (5) ..... Wrenn, g. (5)  
Westmoreland, g. (5) ..... Tubb, g. (6)  
Substitutions: South Carolina, Myers for Richardson; Arkansas, C. Thomas for Harrell, Harrell for C. Thomas. Referee—Holt.

N. CAROLINA (23) TENN. (13)  
Gatlin, f. (6) ..... Rains, f. (2)  
Mashburn, f. (7) ..... Rogers, f. (3)  
Sherrill, c. (10) ..... Johnson, c. (8)  
Maddox, g. (5) ..... Tillman, g. (3)  
Crutchfield, g. (5) ..... Spicer, g. (5)  
No substitutions. Referee—Holt.

ALABAMA (29) FLORIDA (18)  
Pate, f. (8) ..... Hoogland, f. (2)  
Stephens, f. (9) ..... Jennings, f. (2)  
Wall, c. (2) ..... Clemons, c. (6)  
Little, g. (2) ..... Virsida, g. (5)  
Wright, g. (5) ..... Kolol, g. (5)  
Substitutions: Alabama, Jones for Wall, Magro for Wright; Florida, Wright for Hoogland. Referee—Holt.

Arkansas, 1927 champion of the Southern Schools for the Deaf, went into the finals by downing the Florida five, 24 to 17, Saturday morning at the auditorium. South Carolina also got through by defeating the Alabama quintet, 23 to 17.

South Carolina at one time during the fracas was trailing the Alabama five by five point, but a splendid rally brought them to the front and it was never headed after the start of the fourth quarter. Johnson, Richardson and Brady, of the winners, played fine ball both on the defense and offense. The outfit reminds one of the Tarheel team of the Southern conference. It has the same kind of uniforms and plays with the same precision.

Arkansas found in Florida, a hard nut to crack, and at times it looked as though the team was doomed to go down. It was only through its continuous fighting spirit that it managed to win. Wrenn, sorrell-top youngster who has been going good, still showed ability. He was in on everything that took place and is the main cog in the Leopards' basket ball machine.

Worrell and Westfall also came in for their share of the credit in winning this battle.

On the losing side the playing of Visida, Jennings and Clemons was very good. These lads put up a game in which to gain experience they would be a hard combination to stop.

ALABAMA (17) S. CARO. (23)  
Pate, f. (2) ..... Johnson, f. (2)  
Stephens, f. (5) ..... Richardson, f. (5)  
Jones, c. (8) ..... Brady, c. (6)  
Little, g. (5) ..... Hembre, g. (4)  
Magro, g. (5) ..... Westmoreland, g. (5)  
Substitutions: Alabama, Wall (2) for Pate; South Carolina, Myers (1) for Richardson. Referee—Holt.

FLORIDA (17) ARKANSAS (24)  
Visida, f. (8) ..... Worrell, f. (5)  
Jennings, f. (5) ..... Harrell, f. (5)  
Clemons, c. (3) ..... Westfall, c. (7)  
Wright, g. (1) ..... Wrenn, g. (5)  
Kolol, g. (5) ..... Tubb, g. (5)  
Substitutions: Florida, Hoogland for Visida. Long for Wright. Arkansas, C. Thomas (2) for Worrell, K. Thomas (2) for Harrell. Referee—Holt.

The Georgia team was a disappointment, losing their first game to South Carolina 38 to 2, and their second to North Carolina 23 to 4. However, the locals were up against some of the best teams in the tournament, and when we take into consideration that the players of the Georgia team were not over sixteen years of age—mere babes compared to the older and more seasoned boys—they certainly deserve a lot of credit for "scrapping" as well as they did. Miss Annie McDaniel, an instructor at the Georgia School, was in charge of the Georgia aggregation, and the local newspapers spoke of her as "the only lady coach of boys in the schools for the deaf in the South."

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Belsky, of Brooklyn, N. Y., are in the city, stopping with Mrs. Belsky's mother to stay for a while.

In our next news letter we hope to be able to make some important announcement concerning the Dixieland Association of the Deaf. The work of the special Committee of Five appointed last summer, has been somewhat retarded during the past two months owing to sickness among the members of the committee. However, everything is moving along again now and a regular announcement bulletin will be issued shortly by the committee. Watch for it.

C. L. J.

Atlanta, Feb. 12.

### ST. MATTHEW'S LUTHERAN MISSION FOR THE DEAF.

SERVICES every Sunday at 3 o'clock in the church on South 9th Street, between Driggs Avenue and Roebeling Street, Brooklyn. The church is located near the Plaza of the Williamsburg Bridge.

Meeting of the class at the Parish House of St. Matthew's Church on 145th and Convent Avenue, every Friday night from 6:30 to 8 P.M. Assembly room on the third floor of Parish House.

## BALTIMORE

Over fifty Baltimoreans accompanied the Alumni basket ball team to Frederick, Md., last Saturday, in two large chartered busses. The Alumni Five was beaten by the school lads by the close score of 22 to 21.

Before the game the visiting Baltimoreans and a delegation from Cumberland were given a treat in the form of a play, "Old Frederick" staged by the advanced pupils under the direction of Miss Frances McAndrew. The play was one of the best ever given at the school. Plans are under discussion to have the play reenacted in Baltimore for the benefit of the Edward Miner Gallaudet Fund.

After the basket ball game, Superintendent Bjorlee treated all to refreshments of crullers and cocoa.

A neat sum was collected from the play and game for the E. M. G. Fund.

Owing to sickness Mr. Stegmerten, principal of the Overlea School, was forced to postpone his lecture at the regular monthly Lit meeting at the Silent Oriole Club, so an impromptu program was made up. Mr. Michael Weinstein opened the meeting with a humorous story of an American salesman selling can openers to knights of a foreign country. Mr. Rozelle McCall followed with a stirring rendition of Mark Twain's "Death Disc."

Last Monday, the Baltimore Silent Five completed the first round of the Public Playground League with six victories out of seven. They are now tied with the challengers A. C. for first place.

Last year the Silent Five finished in second place. This year they have a good chance of winning the championship and the medals that go with it.

The following players comprise the roster of the Silent Five. Abe Stern, Rozelle McCall, Joseph Pfeiler, Leo Deluca, Vincent Demarco, Harry Friedman and William Smith.

The Silent Five is scheduled to play the Gallaudet reserves in Washington this Saturday.

Here doffing my hat to Balto Division, No. 47, N. F. S. D.

The Watch Night Social drew a record breaking crowd to Morning Star Hall on December 21st. No admission was charged. All expenses were defrayed from the proceeds of the drawing tickets for cash prizes and a neat sum was left over for the local fund.

Chairman Weinstein, ably assisted by Bros. Walktins and Whildin, made up a fine program of entertainment. The program given below consumed fully two hours and was enjoyed by all.

Address, President S. Sandbeck.

Song—"The New Year," Mrs. Wriede.

Tricks—Mr. Rozelle McCall.

Tance—Mr. Leo Deluca.

Song—"Comin' Thro' The Rye," Miss Clara Wheeler.

A Comedy in one act "At the Dentist," Messrs. Michael Weinstein, Abe Omansky, and Harry Friedman.

Jokes for prizes.

Faults.

Mr. Herbert Leitch won first prize in the joke telling contest. His joke about hotdogs was made doubly amusing by his clever way of telling a joke. Miss Clara Wheeler won second prize with a joke about a Chinaman.

When it comes to making known the faults of us fraters, Bro. Weinstein certainly gets the cake. Pres. Sandbeck's gavel and foot-stamping for order will hereafter be eliminated as he was presented with a bell. Bro. Whildin's near sightedness was cured with a pair of opera glasses. Bro. Newman's constant annoyance (purely imagination) at dripping water on his bald head has been done away with, as he was given a lady's dusting cap. And they gimme a megaphone to make my signs a little louder. There were many more, but it would take too much space to mention all.

On the 30th of December, Mr. and Mrs. John Wallace invited a number of friends to a party at their cozy home on Belonna Ave., Woodbrook, Md. A very enjoyable evening was spent playing games and cards. Tasty refreshments were served. The party was graced with the presence of Miss Elizabeth Moss, sister of Mrs. Wallace.

Miss Moss is a teacher at the South Carolina School for Deaf and spent the Christmas holidays with her parents in Baltimore.

Others present were Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Whildin, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Leitner, Mrs. H. Leitch, Mr. and Mrs. August Wriede; the Misses Marie Dietz, Ellen Peake, Edna Hensen, Clara Wheeler, Ruth Atkins, Helen Skinner and Messrs. Abe Stern, Rozelle McCall, Abe Omansky, Jay Shunk, Joseph Pfeiler.

A large crowd of deaf basket ball fans were at Carlin's Park last Friday to witness the Gallaudet-University of Baltimore settor Gallaudet played a splendid game, but were defeated by the more experienced Baltimoreans 47 to 34. Baltimore sports writers gave Gallaudet a neat write-up.

Miss Edna Hensen, teacher at the Overlea School, is now sporting a diamond ring on the third finger of her left hand. You know what that means. The lucky man is Mr. Harry Baynes, now on the teaching staff of the Louisiana State School. Rumor has it that they are to be married in June.

After a long fight for a ten cent fare the Public Service Commission has finally awarded the United Railways Co., of Baltimore with an increase in fares. We formerly paid 8 cents for one fare or two tokens for 15 cents. Now we are paying 9 cents or 3 tokens for 25 cents. The car company is not satisfied with this increase and intends to fight in court for a ten cent fare.

Participating in the Sun Bowling League, George Leitner won first prize for the highest individual score of 117.

Mr. Jay Shunk is now pursuing a course in commercial drawing at the Maryland Institute of Art.

THE WRIDERS.

## OHIO.

News items for this column can be sent to B. M. Edgar, 56 Latta Avenue, Columbus, Ohio.

The Indiana girls' basket ball team met the Ohio girl February 10th, and an exciting game was played. The Indiana girls were fighting to retain the loving cup won last year, and the Ohio girls were eager to get it into their keeping. Twice during the game the score was tied and the audience tensely watched to see which side would get the ball through the basket. When the game ended, the score stood 15 to 11 in favor of Ohio, and pandemonium reigned for a time. It was a good, clean and evenly-matched game. During the game, Ohio cheer leaders put on some good stunts. Dr. Jones, in a pleasing manner, with praise for both teams, presented the cup to Mr. B. Wright, coach for the Ohio players, who blushing received it.

Indiana has twice won the cup and so has Ohio, so another game will be played on the Ohio floor next year. After the game, the Indiana team was given a delightful party by the Ohio Seniors. Saturday, the teams, with Miss Pfeifer, started for home, leaving the coveted trophy behind them.

Miss Pfeifer, the Indiana athletic leader, met with a serious automobile accident, January 26th, in Indianapolis. Riding with her at the time was Mr. A. Judd, the oldest teacher in the Indiana school, and he was so seriously injured that he died soon after in a local hospital.

The Columbus Advance Society's Valentine Social, on February 11th, was well attended and almost \$200 was taken in. There were not so many out-of-town visitors as usual, as many are now out of work. The room was tastefully decorated in red and white, with large red hearts in conspicuous places. The lunch was a fine one, and the committee, Messrs. Schwartz, Jacobson, Moon, Wright, Connolly, Wark, Miller, B. and H. Cook, deserve much praise for their culinary abilities. At first we suspected the women had assisted them, but were assured that the men did it all themselves.

The following cities were represented by one or more deaf: Cincinnati, Dayton, Janesville, Cambridge, Greenville, Hamilton, Ansonia and Cleveland.

Mrs. Stout, wife of Mr. E. M. Stout and aunt of Miss Clara D. Neuner, of Circleville, passed to her reward January 10th, after an illness from hardening of the arteries and heart trouble. She was a woman of pleasing manners, a good wife and friendly to all. Mr. Stout is a famous shooter and is well known to many deaf men, who attend shooting matches.

Miss Neuner has given up her work and is looking after her uncle's home and her niece.

Mr. Jacob Showalter was called to Van Wert on account of the death of his eighty-seven years old sister, Mrs. Mary Capper. She was well known for her charitable work in her vicinity, and an earnest Christian woman. She was looked upon as one of the pioneers of Harrison township. Mr. Showalter's friends at the school remembered him with flowers.

When Mrs. J. C. Winemiller had the Stitch and Chatter Club at her



## NEW YORK.

News items for this column should be sent direct to the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL, Station M, New York.

A few words of information in a letter or postal card is sufficient. We will do the rest.

A "Surprise Party" and incidentally a house-warming, was given to Rev. and Mrs. Guilbert C. Braddock, at their new apartments on West 152d Street, on the evening of February 18th.

A very enjoyable evening was passed socially, coupled with speeches, and the presentation of a mahogany table and also a sheaf of currency. The presentation was made by Mr. McInturff in a neat address, which was pleasantly responded to by Mr. Braddock and his better half, whose remarks were witty and cleverly phrased.

Rev. Dr. Kent also made one of his characteristic addresses, and other speakers were Mr. Hodgson Mr. Kane and Mr. Frankenheim.

Those present were: Rev. and Mrs. John H. Kent, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pierce Kane, Mr. and Mrs. Culmer Barnes, Mrs. J. H. McCuskey, Mrs. Hull, of Boston, Mass., Mrs. Katherine Meinken, Misses Alice Studd, Sophie Boatright, Ethel Koblenz, Margaret Jackson, Marion Thompson, Helen Fish, Ophelia Osborn, Messrs. Pach, James Fitzgerald, Frankenheim, McInturff, Bailey, Hodgson, and probably one or two others that the writer does not recall.

The "Boys and Girls of the 44th Street School" held its annual dinner at the Hofbrau, on Broadway at 30th Street, on Saturday evening, February 18th.

There were about twenty-five present, and joy and enthusiasm pervaded the entire evening. The officers and others made eloquent speeches, particularly Messrs. Souweine and Frankenheim. At the close of the talk-fest, Mr. Bettels explained a dactylic invention he was working on. A short business session followed, when minutes of last meeting were read and the treasurer gave his report. The election of officers resulted: Francis W. Nuber President; Miss Esther H. Spanton, Vice-President; Moses W. Loew, Secretary; James B. Gass, Treasurer.

On Saturday evening, February 25th, the Margraf Club and Lexington A. A., will clash in the main attraction of the evening, at a basketball carnival sponsored by the Brownsville Silent Club, at the Shubert Ball Room (Shubert Theatre Building), Broadway and Monroe Street, Brooklyn. Get off at Gates Avenue Station at 7:30. The Brownsville Silent Champions will tackle the strong team of the Deaf Mutes' Union League in the second game.

There was a Valentine Social at St. Ann's Guild Room, on Tuesday, February 14th, with a real merry coterie of young men and ladies present to the number of thirty. The affair was managed by Ione Dibble and Mary Muir. Games peculiar to the occasion were played, refreshments of ice-cream and cake were served, and all present were well repaid for venturing out on a rainy night.

Announcement is made of the betrothal of Miss Mary Caplan to Mr. Alfred Ederheimer on February 14th—St. Valentine Day. Both are graduates of the Fanwood School. The wedding will be held at the Temple Israel Community Center of New York, 210 West 91st Street, at five o'clock after sundown, Saturday, March 3d, 1928. Friends of the young couple are cordially invited to be present.

Mr. Clarence Summerlin, of North Carolina, whose parents are deaf, and who is a private attached to Fort Jay, was a visitor at the rooms of the Deaf-Mutes' Union League, on Saturday evening, February 17th. He was accompanied by a buddy named Mike Linko. Clarence can use the sign language like a deaf-mute.

The Lutheran Guild for the Deaf held a Valentine Party at the Immanuel Hall, 177 South Street, Brooklyn, N. Y., on Saturday evening, February 11th. Messrs. Louis Brooks, Walter Weisenstein, Jack Eberhardt and Mrs. Brooks were the committee of arrangements.

Mr. Clyde W. Stuart, of Boston, Mass., has been enjoying his three months' stay in New York City. He has an excellent position as patent draftsman and expects to stay in Gotham town quite a while longer.

Rueben Pois, formerly of this city, but for the past several years living in Texas, is here visiting his relatives and friends.

H. Miller, who formerly lived in this city, but is now a resident of Albany, N. Y., was in the city last week.

Miss Sybil Weller and Leon Winsig were betrothed on January 28th.

Julius Lipkin has sold his old Ford and bought a Studebaker.

## PHILADELPHIA

Although the weather on Saturday, February 18th, was most unpropitious from early morning until far into the evening, it did not serve as a damper on the Frat Frolic of Philadelphia Division, No. 30, N. F. S. D., scheduled for the evening of that day at Turngemeinde Hall, Broad Street and Columbia Avenue, judging from the excellent attendance that assured its success, both financially and otherwise.

A notable surprise of the evening was the large number of visitors from New York, Trenton, Wilmington, Baltimore, Reading and other nearby points, who attended the event in spite of the inclement weather. The writer, imbued with interest, set about to take down the names of the visitors, but he soon found it too great a task to reach them in the crowds that seemed to move restlessly about the hall, as though to avoid being "slated." An even more difficult task was to get down the mummies with the characters represented, so, rather than give a few names and leave out the majority, we have decided to give none at all. Suffice it to say that the mummies represent a good variety of characters of the present times. However, one character that is hardly ever missed at such an event seemed conspicuously absent—at least we did not notice one—and that one is the clown, the best of good fellows. If we are mistaken, may we plead our short stature as an excuse for not seeing one. More probably some one had the clown character in mind, but fearing that some other chap would outdo him, gave it up with the result that the clown was extinct for the time being. Some of the characters represented, though not in the costume of clowns, were yet like clowns in action. One of the most grotesque characters shown was that of a weather-beaten, hairy, foot-sore and miserably looking tramp, who proved to be a young married lady who might have represented a fairy with credit. Of course, there were a number of pretty costumes shown, and some outdid the French styles in the shortness of skirts etc. Remember that we are telling about a—frolic, and such it was!

To be sure, there was the usual dancing by those who enjoy it—and a greater number of wall-flowers! The music was furnished by Karl Sijna and His Happy Jacks Dance Orchestra. The committee was composed of Joseph V. Donohue, Chairman; John A. Roach, James L. Jennings, James H. Richards, William E. Rothmund, Lewis W. F. Long, and William M. Margolis.

Mr. John Howard Arnold, father of our Howard E., was operated on at Dr. Price's Memorial Hospital on 18th Street, opposite Logan Square, Saturday morning, 11th inst. Owing to Mr. Arnold's advanced age, which is 78, the operation was a serious one, but it is believed to have been successful; at least, we hope so.

Mrs. Nancy Moore and her companion, Mrs. Mabel Wilson, returned recently to Philadelphia from a prolonged visit to Canada. We are glad to see them and hope that they will continue to find this city agreeable to live in. Mrs. Moore's only son also lives in Philadelphia. She has taken an apartment in Germantown and from now on may be addressed at Apt. C 206, No. 242 W. Walnut Lane, Germantown, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Partington made a trip to Washington, D. C., to pay Mr. and Mrs. McLean a visit, on Sunday, February 19th.

Mrs. Daniel Paul gave a luncheon to a few friends on the 15th inst. Those who partook of it were Mesdames Stevens, Smaltz, Partington and Dantzer. A game followed, in which Mrs. Dantzer won the prize.

Ash Wednesday happens to fall on a holiday (Washington's birthday) this year. A service will be held at All Souls' Church at 7:45 p.m. Thereafter a weekly Lenten service will be held on every Thursday evening, at 7:45 o'clock, during Lent. The offerings during Lent will be the Coal Fund.

On Thursday evening, February 16th, Mr. Harry E. Stevens gave a talk on the life of Emperor Nero, before the Clerc Literary Association. James L. Patterson had charge of a refreshment stand at an entertainment of the Seventh Ward Italian-American Citizen's Club, in Moose Hall, on February 14th.

Mr. Henry L. Zang, hearing son of Mr. and Mrs. George Zang, received in addition to his family recently—a boy.

Several visitors, who came to attend the Frat Frolic on Saturday evening, remained over Sunday to give them an opportunity to see All Souls' Church for the Deaf.

Mrs. Norma H. Thorpe, who came here about two years ago or so from Florida, was baptized in All Souls' Church for the Deaf by the Pastor, Rev. W. M. Smaltz, on February 12th. Her husband is a hearing man. The couple are contemplating to return to the South next summer.

Mr. Charles H. Sharrar expects to enter the Home for Aged and Infirm Deaf at Torredale, on Monday, 20th of February. He is past seventy and of excellent character.

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## SEATTLE

For a greater and better association of the P. S. A. D., our local club, Jack Bertram was elected President last Saturday at the annual election of officers. Frank Kelly, Vice-President; L. O. Christenson, Secretary; Joe Kirschbaum, Treasurer; John Dortero, Sergeant-at-Arms, and Mrs. True Partridge and W. S. Root, Directors were the other officers elected.

Immediately after the adjournment of the P. S. A. D., meeting on February 11th, a number of people who had autos, left the hall, without their usual good-byes for the evening, and took possession of the Bertram home in the Mt. Baker district. When Bertram brought his wife in half an hour later, she was one of the most completely surprised ladies, finding her house full of people, the table spread and the coffee pot sending out an appetizing aroma. It was the occasion of Mrs. Bertram's—th birthday. She was presented with a couple sets of silver salts and peppers, and with kind words about herself. Mr. Bertram gave her a fine compliment, saying she was a perfect wife. After the repast the guests made merry with stories and games till about three o'clock in the morning.

Mrs. Pauline Gustin's home was burglarized last Tuesday night and \$100 worth of jewelry taken. When she returned home at about eleven o'clock from the Lutheran Ladies' Aid meeting, of which she is the President, she found the glass on her back door broken. The police are looking for the thief. Mrs. Gustin has lived in the University district for about twenty-five years and in Seattle nearly forty years.

The Vancouver state school opened February 1st. Mr. Bjorkquest was in charge of those pupils passing through Seattle. When Mrs. Bodley and W. S. Root looked after the Thursday social February 2d, Ed. Spieler won the first prize, a book of rules on cards and the writer a story book. Mrs. Belser and Frank Kelly had the boobies (a dish) and winners dressed in dolls. Mr. and Mrs. Pickett with their cute one-month-old baby girl were among the twenty-five in attendance.

Last week, under Mrs. Belser's management, Mrs. Bodley and Larry Belser won the first prizes, a large vase and a pair of silk socks, and Mrs. Smith and A. W. Wright, chocolate bars.

Mrs. Jack Bertram entertained about a dozen ladies at a luncheon, not long ago. "500" was played with Mrs. Bodley, as the first prize winner. Everybody was happy as is always the case at the Bertram's home, because Mrs. Bertram, though a Gallaudet lady, spreads a lot of sunshine.

Miss Lailah Freese was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Dailing in Portland during the few days of her vacation last month.

The Garrison's twelve-year-old son, Eddie, won the best grade in the State hygiene examination this month. He is in the eighth grade. At the Sunday school of the grown-ups he was chosen secretary. He is tall for his years.

It is reported that Will West has secured a place at the Chevrolet factory in Oakland, Cal., and that Mr. Nilson, who lived in Seattle last winter, is at the Ford plant.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bertram gave a little bridge party to some guests the other evening, first serving supper. We think bridge requires closer application than other card games.

Frank Morrissey has been taking an enforced vacation from his work at the Galbraith dock. A sack of wheat rolled down on him with sufficient force to sprain his ankle. Mr. Morrissey has been working steadily for the same company for twenty-seven years.

Charles Lawrence, of Vancouver, worked for John Moore in Spokane at his shoe shop during the quarantine of his home, when his children had the small-pox. Returning home he had a hard-time driving through the Cascade mountains, because of the snow storm. He was lost for a few hours and it took him two days to get home.

Mrs. John Adams is taking care of her two grandchildren, seventeen months and two years old, while her young daughter is in Oregon, helping her husband in his business.

Miss Hattie Wardall, of Everett, Miss Helen Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Wood, of Anacortes, and Edward Anderson, of Bellingham, drove down one Sunday recently and called on Miss Annie Kingdon.

Oscar Anderson, after two years in Portland and elsewhere, is back in Seattle, working for Greuther Leather Company. His wife and little baby are in Tacoma with her people for a while.

Mrs. Violet Gillis, of Kent, comes over to Seattle frequently, and is always welcome at the Reeves apartment.

The members of the Ladies' Aid are rejoicing over the new stove in their kitchen. We had to give up the annual banquet last month, when we celebrated the eleventh anniversary in honor of our minister Rev. G. W. Gaertner, because of lack of equipment for cooking.

PUGET SOUND.

Feb. 12, 1928.

## OMAHA.

Our hats off again to another friend and educator of the deaf—Supt. Elwood A. Stevenson of the Minnesota School—who has been appointed superintendent of the Berkley, Cal., School, to take effect at the close of school. He will also have charge of all California Day Schools and a department in the State School, where teachers will be trained to teach the deaf. This is the finest offer yet made to a superintendent. His many friends wish him success.

President J. Schuyler Long, of the Iowa Association of the Deaf, has announced through the *Hawkeye* that the Association will hold its convention in Council Bluffs, Ia., August 30th, 31st and September 1st. We have not heard from President Scott Cusaden the convention dates of the Nebraska Association of the Deaf. However, it is likely to be just before or after the Iowa convention. With a few more months ahead, both sides will soon be hustling to raise funds in various ways and they will probably strive to make both conventions the best ever. As soon as we obtain more facts we will make announcements accordingly.

The Fontenelle Literary Society held its regular monthly meeting Saturday night, January 21st. There was a debate on "Resolved, that capital punishment should be abolished," with Eugene Fry on the affirmative and Abie Rosenblatt on the negative. The judges, Mrs. Emma Seely, Rev. Homer E. Grace and Francis S. Dulaney, voted in favor of the negative side. Following this, Robert E. Dobson presented "Humor," which was well received. In the absence of Mrs. Dobson, who was down for the song "Way Down Upon the Swane River," he put on a negro mask and did his "stuff" to the pleasure of all. Chas. E. Comp gave Current Events, which proved interesting as well as instructive. The society will give its annual public meeting in the Nebraska School auditorium, Saturday night, April 21st.

Mrs. John O'Connor and two boys, of Blaine, Kan., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hurt before Christmas. She was formerly Susan Seivert.

On Saturday afternoon, January 21st, Mrs. J. Schuyler Long entertained at a Bridge luncheon at the Chieftain Hotel, in Council Bluffs, from 1 to 5 p.m. She had as her guests Mesdames F. W. Booth and Leopold R. Holway, of Omaha; Tom L. Anderson, Wesley E. Dobson, Anton J. Netusil, John J. Marty and Misses Florence Wilcoxson and Mary Dobson, all of Council Bluffs. Miss Wilcoxson won the first prize for highest score and Mrs. Anderson, second.

Owen Study, formerly employed by the Elmer Long Wall Paper Co. in Council Bluffs, and then laid off on account of business being slack, is now working at the Kresge Company's 5 and 10 cent store and the Keller-Continental Furniture Co., as a sign painter and card designer.

Eugene Fry left in the latter part of January for Chicago, on business and also to call on a certain young lady. "Fess up, Gene, for we know."

Miss Marie Wilbur, of Anita, Ia., who has been working at the John G. Woodward candy factory in Council Bluffs for some time, has gone to Kansas City, Mo., to keep house for her father.

The Hamilton Tire shop basketball team, sponsored by Ziba L. Osmun, has been playing a series of games, and—beg your pardon, we have not the details and scores of the games, hence our brevity concerning them. They played the Millard, Neb., town team, Thursday evening, January 9th, on the Nebraska school's floor and won 43 to 38. On January 18th, they played the Benson team of Class A, and after a good hard-fought game, lost 14 to 22. They also played with the Papillion team recently and defeated them by a walloping score.

Mrs. Albert L. Johnson left in the latter part of January to visit her folks in Verdigris, Neb.

Robert W. Mullin, who has been commercial photographer for Louis Bostwick the past fifteen or twenty years, is now working for Rhinehart-Marsden, photographers.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Long have moved to 403 South 48 Avenue, two blocks east of their former home.

On January 27th, there was a great basketball game between the Nebraska and Iowa schools in the latter's "gym." It was a clean game, each side fighting like demons, but with the best spirit and harmony, the Iowans winning, 21 to 12. That same night the second teams of both schools played a thrilling game, the Nebraskans walloping their opponents, 32 to 12. Then luck changed, for on Friday, February 3d, the Iowa first team came over to play the Nebraska firsts on the Nebraska school "gym" floor, and while it was a quiet and most harmonious game, yet exciting, the Nebraskans got their "revenge" and won by 17 to 8.

Since the new Ford came into existence, several of the Council Bluffs

and local deaf are expecting to buy one, three over the river having already deposited for the "first arrivals."

Eugene McConnell, teacher of printing, in the Iowa School, was host to the Midwest Chapter, Saturday night, February 4th, in the school chapel. Several members were absent, although seven tables at Bridge were played. Mrs. Anton J. Netusil and John J. Marty carried off prizes for highest scores, both exceeding 2,000. Individual buff and blue ice-cream, cakes, salted nuts and coffee were served. It was a very pleasant affair. Just before the meeting, the Kappa Gamma boys arrived from their monthly dinner together in town.

HAL AND MEL.

## DETROIT.

News items intended for this column should be sent to Mrs. William Behrendt, 5945 Wayburn Ave., Detroit, Mich. Such news items from Detroiters and vicinity as well as from the deaf of Michigan will be most welcome and have prompt attention.

February 25th—Deaf Athletic Club Leap Year Social at G. A. R. Hall, a surprise in store for all. March 2d—Social at St. John's Parish House by the Ladies' Guild.

February 23d, 24th and 25th—Fourth Annual Central State Basketball Tournament. Wisconsin, Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Kentucky and Michigan, are to participate. The games are to be played in the Illinois school gymnasium. S. Burns, athletic director of that school, expects a great game to be put up for the championship.

Rev. Franklin C. Smielau held services at St. John's on the 12th, and gave communion to these present, and baptized the baby of Ivor Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Smyth, at their home, 2137 Hudson Avenue, were surprised to have their three daughters remember their thirty-seventh wedding anniversary with a big bouquet of flowers and thirty-five dollars in cash. Mr. Smyth's health continues poor and he has frequent calls for the doctor. To their friends, the Frat Club, the N. F. S. D., who have been so kind to them, they take this means of saying "thank you." They will be glad to have you call on them.

Mrs. Ben Dahm returned Saturday, after a week's visit with relatives in Lansing and Belding. Sears & Roebuck are building two new stores in Detroit, the one at Gratiot and Van Dyke covers one block and has the basement nearly dug.

Miss Lena Yack's brother is seriously ill.

The groundhog saw his shadow all right on the second. Where is he cold weather?

The N. F. S. D. Detroit Division Valentine Frolic is over. The crowd was good. Seventy-eight dollars was cleared for the relief fund. Many beautiful valentine costumes were present, with good judges.

1. Mrs. Clyde Beach, Lady Valentine, Electric coffee percolator.

2. Mr. Sam Goth, Baker, Silver cigarette case.

3. Mrs. Arthur Jean, Dolly, Silver mesh bag.

4. Mr. Eddie Payne, Clown, Silver belt buckle.

5. Mrs. Louis Krohler, Miss N. F. S. D., three linen handkerchiefs.

6. Mrs. Maude Wickings.

7. Alice Leckie, Red Flapper, second-hand embroidered towels.

8. Miss Elsie Holey, Pierette, \$1.00.

Juniors prizes were all 50 cents each. Junior May, Clown; Robert Goth; Joyce Beach, Butterfly; Louise May Brehndt, N. F. S. D. Booster.

The grand march was directed by Miss Mary Foch, and was beautiful and different from the ordinary run of marches.

The judges were C. Lawrence, of Bay City, Miss Stutsman and Mr. Brake, Mr. Cornish and Rev. Smielau.

Mr. Beach, Mr. Rollins, Mr. Seiss, and Mrs. Rollins, Mrs. Kenney, acting as committee, deserve much credit, while the Detroit Fraternal Club deserves a vote of thanks for their generosity in donating the hall and lunch counter free to the N. F. S. D. The attendance would be larger, but Mr. and Mrs. John Berry entertained at "500" at their home in Royal Oak. First prize by Mrs. E. Ball, Mr. Isackson Booby, and Mr. and Mrs. Sadows. Mr. Berry is one of the first fine fraters. It shows loyalty.

Mrs. Maude Wickings, of Atkins, Mich., is the guest of her sister.

Mr. Chas. Lawrence, Floyd Neal, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith and Miss Mae Greunan, were all in town for the big event and were the guests of the Behrendts. Julius Wynyard, of Ann Arbor and Milton Seveet, of Emmet, were the two others we met there.

The Detroit Association of the Deaf held a very successful Valentine Social on February 11th. A number of original games were played. Mrs. Alex Lobsinger, Mrs. Purviance and George La Tondress capturing some of the prizes offered. Mr. Difazio and Mr. Smith acted as Chairmen of the occasion.

## FANWOOD

The subjoined program was given by the members of Grade Seven (girls), in the chapel before the Fanwood Literary Association, on February 2d. The debate was won by the side that favored bobbing the hair, by the points of 3 to 2. The program follows:—

1. Story—"Old Sultan." . . . . Edna Jensen
2. Story—"Acres of Diamonds." . . . . Tillie Newman
3. Story—"Franklin and the Thief." . . . . Edith Kaercher
4. DEBATE—"Resolved, That long hair is more desirable than short hair." Affirmative, Celia Kalmanowitz. Negative, Congetta Fernandez.
5. Biography—"Queen Victoria." . . . . Gertrude Downsky
6. Story—"The Deer's Horns." . . . . Fannie Weishaus
7. Story—"The Magic Ring." . . . . Alice Rudzerice
8. Story—"The Faithful Friends." . . . . Anna St. George
9. Introducing Mrs. Coolidge and Mrs. Lindbergh (Dorothy Brandt and Catherine O'Brien) . . . . Congetta Fernandez
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Principal Gardner recently visited all the New York State Institutions for educating the deaf. Dr. Harris Taylor, Principal of the Lexington Avenue Institution, and Prof. Edward C. Rider, Principal of the Institution at Malone, were with him on this tour of study and inspection. They also crossed to the Canadian side to Montreal and visited the splendid new building at Mile-End, where the education and training of the deaf is conducted by Brothers of the Roman Catholic Church.

On Thursday evening, the sixteenth of February, an interesting lecture was delivered by Dr. Fox, in the chapel, before the Fanwood Literary Association. The subject of the lecture was "The Pan-American Congress."

There was an exciting basketball game in our gymnasium last Friday, February 17th, which was played between our Fanwood First team and Peekskill (W. M. A.) team. Many of the pupils and visitors witnessed the game.

In the first half, our players played very rapidly and N. Giordano made six goals very easily. They passed very cleverly, and the score in the first half was 26 to 19 in favor of our Fanwood team.

In the second half, Peekskill players got some difficult goals and their score slowly rose and was almost equal to our score, but Leo. Port made three goals and our team won.

W. M. A. (32)	G.	F. G.	T.
Angell, r.f.	3	0	6
Reives, l.f., r.g.	2	1	5
Fastow, l.f.	4	0	8
Maines, c.	1	1	3
Maiss, r.g.	3	0	6
Gorta, r.g.	1	0	2
Koock, l.g.	1	0	2
	15	2	32

FANWOOD (41)	G.	F. G.	T.
Carroll, r.f.	2	0	4
Lynch, r.f.	2	0	4
Port, l.f.	6	3	15
Johnson, c.	0	0	2
Harris, G. L. c.	1	0	2
Giordano, r.g.	6	3	15
Horne, l.g.	0	1	1
	17	7	41

Referee—H. Lencraft. Scorer—E. Marshall. Timekeeper—C. Terry.

Mr. Frank Lux, our Physical Director, has secured some baseball games with outside teams, which are to be played when the baseball season opens. The captain of our baseball team is Cadet Lieutenant Otto Johnson, our star third baseman. Below is the list of games with opposing teams:—

May 5th—Westchester Military Academy—At home.
My 9th—New York Military Academy Away.
May 12th—Chapel B. B. C. (Pending) At home.
May 19th—Westchester Military Academy—Away.
May 26th—Colonial B. B. C.—At home.
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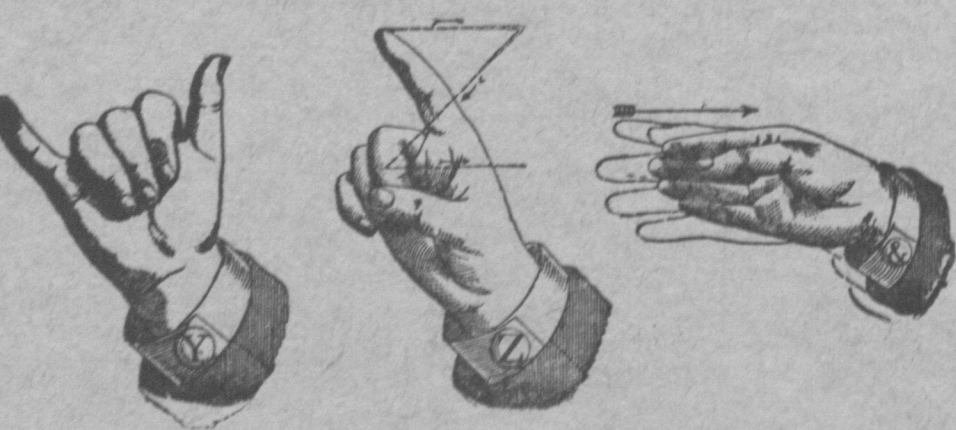
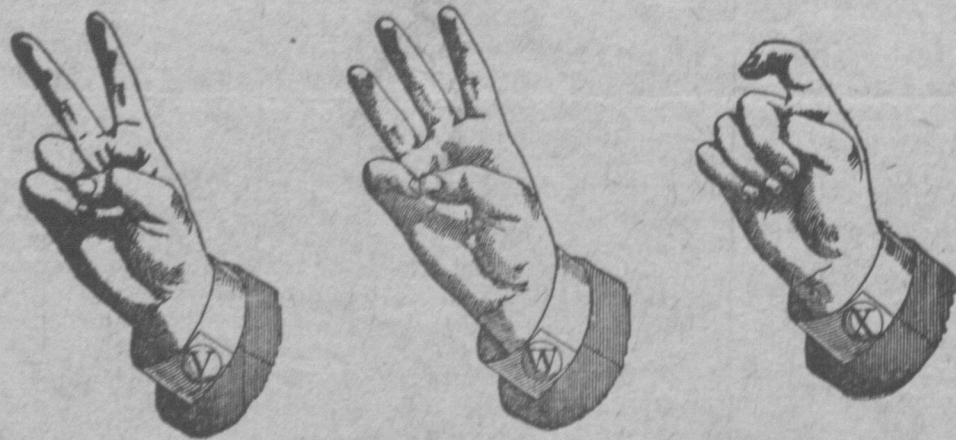
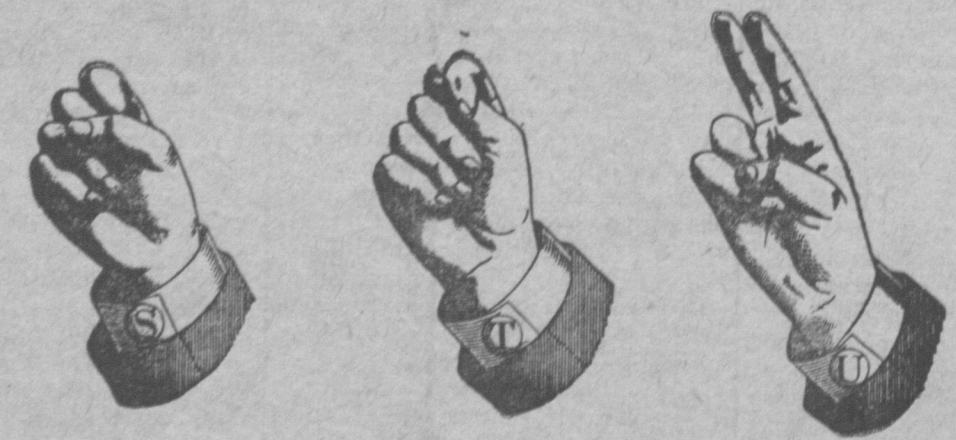
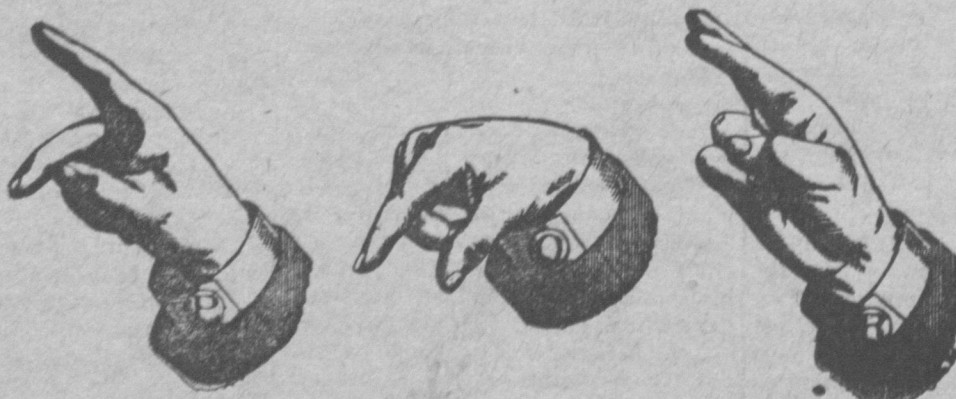
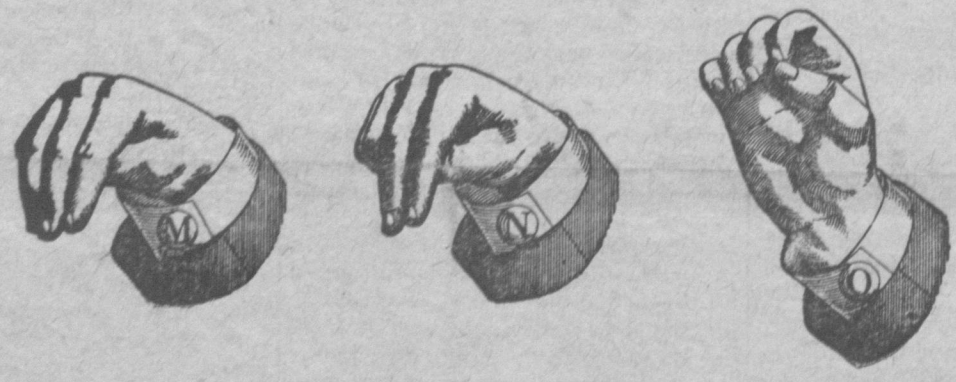
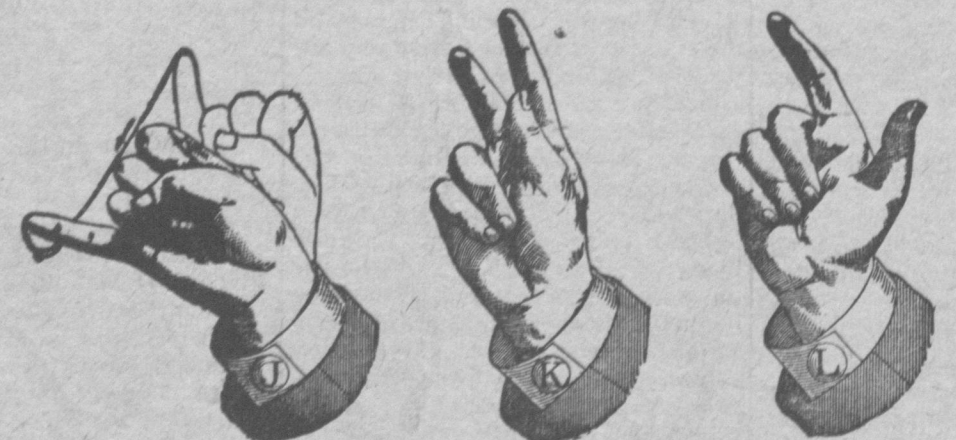
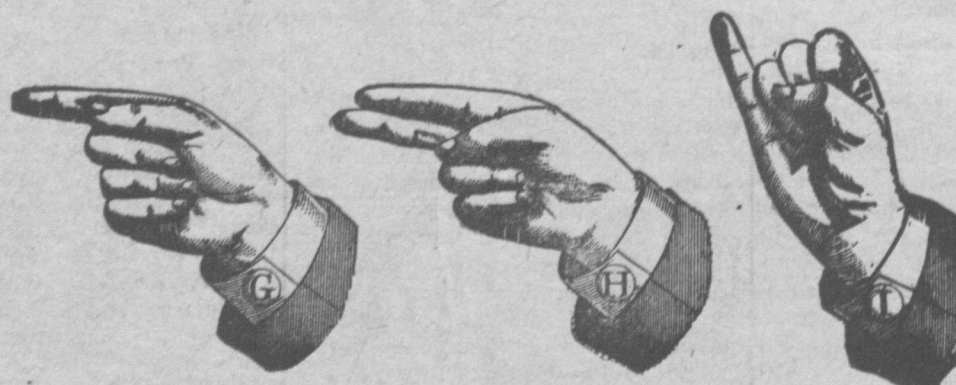
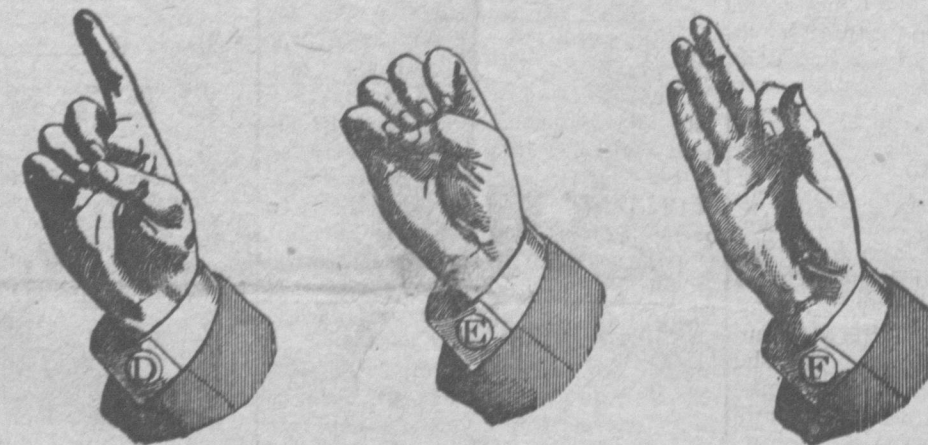
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#### 69th Regiment Armory

Lexington Ave. and 25th Street  
New York City

on

Saturday Evening, March 24, 1928

ADMISSION - - - ONE DOLLAR

MUSIC BY ARMORY ORCHESTRA

ARTHUR L. TABER, Chairman

## DANCE AND ENTERTAINMENT

Frank W. Hoppaugh and His Merry Gang

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### Stupendous Revue and Jollification

AT THE

#### Salaam Temple Mosque

MOSQUE THEATRE GRILL  
1020 BROAD ST., NEWARK, N. J.

ON

Saturday Evening, April 28th, 1928

Ticket - - - - - One Dollar

MUSIC BY DAILEY'S MEADOWBROOK DANCE ORCHESTRA

"Nine Dancing Debutantes" from Keith Circuit and other acts of specialties will be there from Carlton M. Hub, New York City Producer.

Directions to Temple—From Hudson Tubes to Newark, take Clinton Avenue Bus to Clinton Avenue and Broad Street.

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FOURTH ANNUAL

## Masquerade Ball

under the auspices of the

Jersey City, N. F. S. D., No. 91.

AT

#### Odd Fellows' Hall

Bergen Square

Directions to Hall—From New York and Newark, take Hudson Tubes to Journal Square, walk three blocks south on Bergen Avenue to Hall.

Saturday, April 14, 1928

Admission - - - - - \$1.00

CASH PRIZES

(For Fancy Costume)

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HARRY E. DIXON

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\$100 IN CASH PRIZES FOR FANCY COSTUMES \$100

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## Masquerade Ball

auspices of

#### BROOKLYN DIVISION, NO. 23

National Fraternal Society of the Deaf

#### ARCADIA HALL

(Brooklyn's Largest Ball Room)

Broadway and Halsey Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Saturday Evening, March 3d, 1928

Admission (wardrobe included) One Dollar

EXCELLENT MUSIC

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From Times Square, take the B. M. T. to Broadway, transfer to Canarsie or Jamaica lines; get off at Halsey Street Station.

From Brooklyn Bridge, take Lexington Avenue "L" and get off at Halsey Street Station. Also Putnam Avenue cars pass the doors of the Hall.